A TOUGH COUNTERFEITER.

HIS BRUSH WITH UNCLE SAM'S MEN.

Major Carter Tells of the Dayton Fight-How Jim Guyon, the Chief Criminal, Escaped-The Unusual Career of Old Man Driggs,

Maj. Carter of the government secret service returned Saturday from Dayton, O., where he had spent several days with other officers in ferreting out and arresting a gang of counterfeiters. The incident of the fight, which resulted in the wounding of one of the officers and one of the counterfeiters, was published in THE SENTINEL at the time, but Maj. Carter adds some interesting features to it. "I was never more disappointed with an expedition in my life," said he. "The very man whom we were after and the man for whom we had been working for months was the only one to escape. It was Jim Guyon, who has the plates from his place for a couple of weeks, Driggs which the spurious ten-dollar bills were thinking they were counterfeiters, as they made. He is the only man in the world who knows where they are, and but for a little hard luck, and perhaps a little bad management, we would have captured him by this time and would have had the plates. Guyon is a desperado and is about as smooth as you ever He has another sixteen-year-old daugh read of. He was a member of the gang which operated in Illinois eight years ago. Everyone but him was captured and sent to the penitentiary. The main thing we criminal of some sort. "Gertie" has to be able to get the present building put were after at that time was the plates, and finally we induced one of the men under sentence to tell us where they were concealed. It was in an island in the Mississippi river, and along with them was \$32,000 in counterfeit money. But when we came to look for them they were gone. Guvon had stolen them. He was then comparatively unknown tous. We heard nothing shortly, in all probability. No government officer ever saw Guyon few days ago. We then found he was in Cincinnati, trying to sell some of his money. He had agents working with him and negotiating for some of his money, and finally one of these made an agreement to meet him at the road house, run by old man Driggs, in Dayton, and buy a large amount of it, agreeing to pay him 272 cents on the dollar. I rode on the train from Cincinnati to Dayton with Guyon on Wednesday night. He is a man of medium size, with a beard which would be black if it were not sunburned, that reaches half way down his waist. His hair is black, but he has a keen, gray eye. He has large cheek-bones, but his head tapers noticeably both toward the forehead and chin. He is a smart one, undoubtedly, and hails originally from Arkansas; is a printer by trade and a fine plate worker.

'Why didn't I arrest him? Well, it was because we had made different plans. Of course I bitterly regret now that I did not, for I could have done it easily. But, you see, we had arranged for our man to meet him at Driggs' the next morning, and we were to be on hand and make the arrest right there, with the money on him. Things, however, didn't work as we expected. When we arrived at Driggs' next morning, at the hour agreed upon, it so happened, unluckily, that Guyon had gone out in the woods, about one hundred yards away, to get a portion of the money that he had hidden there. The rest of it he had concealed in an old bucket in the wood-shed. This he sent Driggs after. while he himself went to the woods for the remainder. It was just at this juncture that we arrived at the house. Three of the officers were stationed around the house, and Abbott and I went inside. Just as I got to the billiard-room old | time the disease began to spread until his Driggs entered the back door with the entire body was covered with brown bucket of money in his hands. "Well, Mr. Driggs, I've come for you,"

'That's all right,' said be, smiling as quietly as if he was merely greeting a

neighbor. I know your business. 'He made no effort to resist, and we handcuffed him. His wife came in and we arrested her, but did not handcuff her. Then we started up stairs, supposing way, and I the other. But we didn't find our man, of course. We found another woman-'Frenchy,' they called her-who, probably, was Guyon's In the meantime, however, there was trouble. Mrs. Driggs, like ourselves, thought Guyon was up stairs. She knew he was a desperate man, and supposed the shooting was about to begin. As a consequence she set up screaming, and this gave warning to Guyon, who was returning from the woods. Abbott and I had twelve rooms to look through up stairs, and by the time we were through and down stairs the other officers had discovered Guyon and were after him. The firing had begun before we got out of the yard. Guyon is the coolest man I ever saw, and a daisy with the gun. He trotted along ahead of the men, loading his pistol as he went, and all the time was as cool as a cucumber. Donnella was the only officer who got very near him, and he received a shot in the back of the head, but was not seri- But the Only One He Succeeded in Killing ously burt. Guyon was hit also, I think, in the shoulder, but it did not seem to bother him much. If a man had appeared on the scene just then with a shotgun he could have sold it for \$500. There was a field of corn as high as our heads near by, and next to that a field of oats with two or three small ravines in it; and in this way Guyon escaped. We hunted all day, but without success. In addition, we offered a reward of \$500 for his capture, which brought a number of men into the hunt, but without success.

"Guyon-Jim Guyon he is called-has several aliases, among them Jim Hank and Jim Hamilton. He is a regular prairie rat, and has probably not slept indoors for years. The Driggs woman told me that he never slept in the house when he came there. Sometimes when it rained he would sleep in the wood-shed, but generally he stayed in the woods.

Nelson Driggs, the "old man Driggs" to whom Maj. Carter referred, is one of the best known counterfeiters in the country. He is now seventy-nine years of age, and has been in the business pretty nearly all, his life. He was a prosperous young farmer, said to be worth \$100,000, and was living in Brown county, Ohio, when his crooked work was first discovered. Up to that time he was highly respected. Since then, however, he has spent a good portion of his time behind the bars, yet it has not turned him from his crooked ways. He has for some years been conducting a depot for stolen horses, and, considering

says he has no doubt that 500 stolen horses have been taken there from Indiana alone. Sam Rivers, recently sent to the penitentiary from Shelby county for counterfeiting, was one of Driggs' best tradesmen in the matter of stolen horses. Driggs paid the thieves 40 per cent. of the value of the animals, and then shipped them away in

large numbers. This, however, was not the chief source of his livelihood, which was counterfeiting. He was what they call a wholesale dealer in counterfeit money. That is to say, a manufacturer of it, like Guyon, would sell him big amounts of it at a time-say, ten or fifteen thousand dollars' worth, charging him probably 15 cents on the dollar. Then Driggs would deal out the money in smaller quantities to what are called middle-men-of whom Sam Rivers was an instance. The latter would retail the money for what they could get, receiving sometimes as high as 62) cents per

Driggs has been engaged in the business for years and his road-house, known Dayton, near the soldiers' home, has been the headquarters for counterfeiters for years. Two or three of the government officers have been hanging about represented themselves. Two of them accepted Driggs' invitation, on Monday last, to eat a birthday dinner with him, it being his seventy-ninth birthday. Notwithstanding Driggs' age, he is the father of an eighteen-months'-old baby, which Maj Carter pronounces"as smart as a chip. ter. His wife, Gertie, is a fit companion for him. She is a member of the famous Stadfelt family of girls of southern Ohio, every one of whom married a burglar or

served a number of terms in prison. She and Driggs were married in the Cincinnati iail. Another of the Stadfelt girls married Guyon, the counterfeiter, but subsequently deserted him for a burglar named Sam Cole. The latter encountered Guyon a few years ago, and a shooting scrape resulted, but Cole ran and escaped.

Driggs, his wife and the woman and lodged in jail. The old man will, of him until about a year ago, when the doubtless, get ten years, which, to him, bad bills began to show up once more, means a life-sentence. The capture of enable the president's family to have a He was engaged in making them again, this crowd makes sixteen that have been private home, where the president's wife just as he will now begin to do again arrested in the three states of Ohio, Indi- might see her friends privately. ana, and Illinois for dealing in the counteriet ten-dollar bills. Eight of them were arrested in this state, six in Ohio and two in Chicago.

Jim Guyon, however, who is the fountain head, is still at large, and will, doubtless, begin his nefarious business elsewhere soon.

SLOWLY DYING OF LEPROSY.

James Kavanaugh of New Orleans Dying of the Dread Disease. New Orleans, La., July 20.—A genuine,

well-developed case of leprosy, located in a little and isolated cottage at the corner of Chestnut and Eliza-sts., Algiers, across the river from New Orleans, was brought to light to-day. The teper is a young man named James Kavanaugh, twenty-nine reared in Algiers, and was for eleven dismissed. years a teamster in the employ of Morgan's Louisiana & Texas railroad and steamship company. He was quite popular among his associates about railroad shops and in the town generally. He is an active and popular member of Morgan steam fire company No. 3, and is practically cared for by the firemen at present. The disease began to show itself about four years ago in small brown spots on the chest and neck. He called in a prominent and well-known physician on this side of the river, and after a thorough

leprosy and incurable. Fearing contagion, the members of the fire company built the little red-painted house above mentioned, and young Kavanaugh was placed there as a doomed man. vided for their occupancy. In a short spots, his tongue was swollen and cracked until he could not articulate distinctly. nasal passages clogged, his eyebrows and lashes fell off, toe-nails rotted and his entire body was fast becoming a mass of pu-

A purse of \$500 was made up by the firemen and offered to any one who would cure him. One or two doctors called on him, but he got no relief, and was finally Guyon was there. Abbott took one stair- given up to die. Kavanaugh was seen yesterday, and being asked how he thought he contracted the diseasewhether by inheritance or by contagionhe said his father and sister lived in the same yard with him and were perfectly healthy; that his progenitors were all a hardy, healthy people, and that he believed he had caught the disease from a young man who worked in the Morgan shops several years ago and died from supposed leprosy. Inquiry among physicians and citizens of Algiers, and the man's general appearance, settled the fact beyond dispute that he is in the last stages of the loathsome and bideous dis-

> It is also current rumor that there are other cases of leprosy in and about Algiers; in fact, the people do not seem to feel any alarm, and talk about the disease with as much indifference as if it was a bad cold under discussion.

CAME TO KILL THE FAMILY,

Was Bimself.

KIRESVILLE, Mo., July 21.-About three years ago James Sylvia and Miss Buckulew. daughter of a well-known citizen of Kirksville. were united in marriage and removed to Keokuk, Is. About six months ago Mrs. Sylvia returned to her parental roof, saying that her husband would not support her. Yesterday she received a telegram from Sylvia saying he would be in Kirksville to-day to kill the family. He arrived this morning and going to his wife's ather's house called the wife out and asked her: "Allie, will you return to me?" The woman replied in the negative, whereupon Sylvia fired at her and she fell. Thinking he had killed her, Sylvia turned the weapon upon himself, and sent a ball into his brain. He will die. Mrs. Sylvia was not hurt.

Hauged by a Mob. COVINGTON, Ga., July 22.-Last night Dan Malone, a negro, twenty-two years of age, at tempted to assault a respectable woman, Mrs. Rachael Skinner, living six miles from Covington. Her screams brought assistance, but the negro escaped. Subsequently he was captured and identified and confessed his guilt. This morning, as he was being brought to town, he was taken from the officers by sixty masked

Another Step in the Burke Case. WINNIPEG, Man., July 22.—Burke's lawyers to the penalty for violating the law. will move for a writ of habeas corpus tomorrow on behalf of the famous Cronin suspect. argument will be fixed for Wednesday before he full court. The lawyers have been hanging off, doubtless, expecting some one to put up the extent of his business, it is remarkable money to carry on an appeal, but none has been that he was not detected. Maj. Carter forthcoming.

WHITE HOUSE TOO SMALL

MRS. HARRISON WANTS MORE ROOM.

The Eush of Office-Seekers to the Executive Mansion Has Deprived It of All Privacy -Even the Library Has Been Invaded-Washington News.

Washington, July 20.-The Star this afternoon prints an interview with Mrs. Harrison, which quotes her as saying that the insufficiency of room in the white house has become a matter of very serious inconvenience. Mrs. Harrison says that, although the household of the president is not the largest ever domiciled in the official home of the chief magistrate, the encroachments of official requirements of late years upon as the United States hotel, on Home-ave., | the apartments used for family purposes has reached a point where relief has become absolutely necessary. Even the fibrary has been taken up for office business, and the cabinet-room now serves the double purpose of public ante-room for senators and others admitted without cards, as well as the place for the meeting of the president and his advisers. In speaking of this subject, Mrs. Harrison continued:

"We are here for four years. I do not look beyond that, as many things may occur in that time, but I am very anxious to see the family of the president provided for properly, and while I am here I hope into good condition. Very few people understand to what straits the president's family has been put at times for lack of accommodations. Really, there are only five sleeping apartments and there is no feeling of privacy."

Mrs. Harrison says that the idea of making an extension to the executive mansion "Frenchy" were all taken to Cincinnati on the west side would not involve any loss on account of the removal of the present conservatories. The extension would

A PLACE FOR HURLEY.

His Appointment as Third Auditor of the Treasury Made.

Washington, July 20,-The president has appointed Madison M. Hurley of New Albany, Ind., to be third auditor of the treasury, vice Col. Williams, resigned. Mr. Hurley was formerly postmaster at New Albany.

The Bloomington Postmaster. Washington, July 20.—The president has appointed Joseph H. McPhee to be postmaster at Bloomington, Ind., vice Henry J. Festus, resigned.

Hilligass Dismissed.

Washington, July 20 .- William J. Hiligas s of Indiana, chief of the eastern years of age. Kavanaugh was born and division in the pension bureau, has been

Appointed a Timber Agent. Washington, July 20 .- Eli C. Hornady of Indiana has been appointed a timber agent of the general land office.

Nearly Five Hundred Houses Bullt or Contracted For-The Relief Fund.

HOUSES AT JOHNSTOWN.

Johnstown, Pa., July 20.-Mr. S. S. Marvin and Secy. J. B. Kremer of the flood relief commission, were in town to-day. diagnosis of the case it was pronounced | They visited the commissary and other relief headquarters, and expressed themselves as pleased with what they saw. Mr. Kremer says that over \$170,000 has already been expended in Johnstown, not includ-His father and sister moved into the house | ing the \$500,000 now being paid out. He with him, and additional rooms were pro- | did not give figures to show clearly where this money had gone, but said it exceeded \$170,000. One hundred homes had been bought or contracted for costing \$160 each; 100 costing \$207 each, and 200 two-story homes to be built by Contractor Hughes at \$260 each. In addition, fifty-two business stands had been built at a cost of \$425 each. This would make a total of \$109,950. In addition some money was spent for coffins, lumber and the like. Over three-fourths of the money coming into the hands of Gov. Beaver direct was for the sufferers in the Conemaugh valley, the balance being for the flood sufferers of Pennsylvania. Mr. Kremer said that it was likely the Williamsport region would get another appropriation, as it seemed they had not received their share.

When asked why a clear statement of the moneys received and expended was not made, he said there was a difficulty in determining as to what fund certain items should be charged—such, for instance, as the burial of the dead. It was a question, he said, whether the state had a right to pay for that, and until these questions were determined, it was not considered

proper to make a statement. Judge Cummin only spent a short time at his office this morning, he being somewhat indisposed, and Treasurer Thompson assisted him in his share of the work This was the biggest day's work yet, and the whole force was kept busy until 6 o'clock. Twenty thousand three hundred and forty-two dollars were paid out during

Only two bodies were taken to the morgue to-day.

The School Book Ring at Work.

VAN ANTWERP, BRAGG & Co. are loading the mails with circulars addressed to school officials offering their publications, as they say, "at the lowest retail prices at which school books are furnished to any state, city or schools, by contract or otherwise." The figures they give, however, are away above the prices fixed by the contract recently awarded in this state. Here is a comparison between the reduced ring prices and the prices fixed by law and the new contract:

First Reader. Third Reader. orth Reader Elementary Arithmetic Common Arithmetic Common Geography.

School officials or others who order books from Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co. as solicited to do in these circulars, will not only lend themselves to an imposition upon the people, but will assume financial responsibility which will prove embarassing, and will also expose themselves

The Rev. Mr. Bankin Dead. NEWARK, N. J., July 22,-The Rev. E. D. Rankin, one of the best known presbyterian inisters in the country, died of heart trouble this evening at the age of seventy. He was a graduate of Harvard.

SUFFERING IN THE NORTHWEST. Farmers Along the Canadian Border Starv-

ing-Crops a Total Failure. CRAFTON, Dak., July 20 .- Crops in the Canadian northwest and along the Dakota line are in bad shape. Farmers are almost destitute, and some instances are reported where they are subsisting on field mice and gophers. In the Canadian northwest proper the crops are nil. A party of emigrants from the Soures country was met Thursday on the boundary line. They had traveled 300 miles through a well-settled country on the Canadian side without seeing a fair crop, and say a great many stitution, which will be considered during the settlers are leaving their land. Some families looked famine-stricken and had eaten | been prepared with great care and after nothing but potatoes and turnips for consultation with some of the ablest constitusome months. They were afflicted with | tional lawyers in the Union. In many respects scurvy. At one place northwest from | it is identical with articles already introduced Turtle mountain a family of English emi- in the convention. It is a compilation of the grants, who were traveling back to the best provisions of the constitutions of the mountains, had killed and were eating a young colt. The suffering in that region will be awful, as those who have means will leave in such numbers as to depopulate that section.

RUN INTO A DRAW BRIDGE.

A Fatal Steamboat Accident Near Savannah, Ga.-Two Women Killed.

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 20.—The steamer St. Nicholas, with 500 colored excursionists on board, ran into closed draw-bridge over St. Augustine creek, four miles south of Savannah, at 9 o'clock to-night, demolishing the forward part of the steamer, killing two women and injuring twenty-eight men and women, some of whom will die, Capt. F, C. Boullneau, who commanded the steamer, said the engines were reversed and were backing when the crash came. The forward decks were crowded. The upper deck was carried away and the pilot house and hurricane deck crashed down on the mass of people, burying them under its weight. One of the dead was a colored cook and the other was an unknown young woman.

KILRAIN WAS DRUGGED.

A Well Known Newspaper Man Claims To Know of the Plot.

New York, July 20.-A letter received a new aspect on the result of the battle between Sullivan and Kilrain, The

From information I have received and from investigations I have made, I am confident that Kilrain was "dosed" prior to his battle with John L. Sullivan, and later I will have the names of the parties who con-cocted the plot. The "business" was done at Richburg on Sunday, on the eve of the fight. Kilrain was given Indian hemp, mixed in jelly, and the effects of the drug dld their work steadily with the assistance of the torrid sun. One of the parties who put up the ring with Denny A. Butler has the secret, and it is more than probable he will ex-

HIS WIFE FOLLOWED HIM.

An Eloping Husband and His Charmer Arrested in Omaha, Neb. OMAHA, Neb., July 20.-A wealthy boot

and shoe dealer named George C. Hagen, doing business in Chicago and New Casattempting to cash a one thousand two hundred-dollar draft. Hagen came here year old girl, with whom he had eloped. The girl was also arrested.

Hagen's wife lived in New Castle and after he ran away with Miss Voghan she traced him to Chicago, where he was running a candy store. On his wife's arrival at Chicago Hagen fled here and it was on a telegram from Chicago officers that he was arrested.

THE STILL EXPLODED.

A Jersey City Chemical Works Demolished -Henvy Losses. JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 20 .- A still ex-

ploded in Dodge & Olcott's chemical works, at the corner of Michigan and Washington-sts., this afternoon. The three-story brick building, 100 by 25 feet. with a large stock of essential oils and valuable drugs, was destroyed. The building occupied by Ames & Co.'s spike | arrived at the bridge this morning they found works, across Washington-st., was slightly scorched. Dodge & Olcott are a wellknown drug firm, with offices on Williamst., New York City. Their loss is estimated at \$120,000 on building and machinery and \$200,000 on essential oils and other stock.

BURNED AT SEA.

The Steamer Lorenzo D. Baker-Narrow Escape of Passengers and Crew.

New Bedford, Mass., July 22.-The whaling schooner Franklin arrived at New Bedford this morning with the crew of the steamer Lorenzo D. Baker, from Point Antonio, Jamaica, for Boston, with fruit. The steamer was burned at sea. The steamer left Antonio July 10, with six cabin passengers, nineteen officers and crew and two sailors who were working their passage. On July 15 fire was discovered in the | Ohio and among river men generally, as the engine-rooms and was soon beyond control, as the pumps could not be worked. The boats were lowered, and all on board escaped from the burning vessel except two firemen who were drowned while swimming to the small boats. During the following forenoon the survivors were picked up by the Franklin and brought to this port. The steamer was burned to the water's edge.

Bled To Death. LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 22.-Mrs. Ellen Rob- the rascals were of his own party. No other erts bled to death here to-day in a singular | construction can be put upon his extraordinary manner. A few days ago a small sore appeared | course in reversing his own ruling. In his on her knee and grew rapidly larger. Her original charge to the grand jury with the health continued good, however, and little attention was paid to it. At 3 o'clock this morning she was awakened by a severe pain and found blood pouring from the sore. Her husband hastened for a physician, but before he could return death had resulted.

Will Sell Proctor Knott. LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 22.-It is reported from Chicago that Sam Bryant, the well-known turf man, will sell his interest in Proctor Knott and Come-to-Taw to his partner George Scoggan. Bryant will at the same time sell out all his race horses. Next year he will again come upon the turf and with an entirely new stable. The sale is to take place after the Saratoga neeting. Knott's next race will be in the Omnibus stakes, in which he will meet Salvator.

Two Children Burned to Death,

COLUMBUS, O., July 22,-Tommy and Agnes Williams, aged five and three, were burned to death by the explosion of a coal-oil can last night. The mother had left the house a few minutes on an errand, during which the boy secared the oil can, placed it in the middle of the floor, and then secured some matches and set the oil on fire.

Nearly Stung to Death, Etc. SHELBYVILLE, July 22 .- [Special.] - George Johnson, a farmer, upset a bee-hive with his reaper to-day, and his horses and himself were terribly stung; Johnson's condition is critical.

Ora Walker, a fourteen-year-old son of Taylor Walker, living ten miles south of here, was a witness during the trial of a case in Justice Miehle's court to-day. He became infull-grown cyclone, or rather one struck them, accidentally drowned while bathing last night.

Thiele, a member of a prominent business firm, Co.? The Indiana atmosphere is not so full of their circulars as it used to be. They struck a full-grown cyclone, or rather one struck them, when The Sentinel got after them.

THE CONSTITUTION READY.

WILL BE CONSIDERED THIS WEEK.

North Dakota's Laws as a State Prepared and Awalting the Sanction of the Convention Now in Session-Compiled By Able Lawyers.

BISMARCK, Dak., July 21.-The constitu tional convention has been given a gennine surprise by the presentation of a complete conpresent week. This constitution is said to have different states and the United States fitted to

With regard to taxation, it has no specific provisions, embodying in it the Wisconsin constitutional provision on this subject, which provides that the rule of taxation shall be uniform upon property made subject to taxation by the legislature, leaving the power of regulating the method of taxation with the legislature. It also provides that the property of non-residents shall not be taxed at a higher rate than that of residents; gives the legislature the power to fix the passenger and freight rates on railroads and transportation companies, the rates to be reasonable and the courts to decide what are reasonable rates; it prohibits the loaning of the credit of | casualty. the state to any association or corporation; vests the judicial power in a court of impeachment consisting of the senate, a supreme court, district court, county courts and justices of the peace-thus providing for the establishment of county courts; limits the number of judges of the supreme court to three, which may be increased after five years. It provides against

female suffrage. The house of representatives shall consist of not less than seventy-five nor more than 120 members, and the senate not less than onethird nor more than one-half of the size of of the house. Each organized county shall be entitled to at least one member of the house. The senators are divided into two classes-one to be elected for two years, and the other for four. It provides for biennial sessions of the the legislature, not exceeding ninety days, to convene on the first Tuesday in January after from a well known newspaper man puts | the election. Two-thirds of the members elect may override the veto power; the governor shall either approve or return a bill within five days from the time of its delivery to him, and shall have ten days after adjournment within which to approve or reject. In case of objection, he shall file the same with the secretary of state within the time specified.

It is against minority representation, providing for elections by a plurality vote. It gives the legislature full power to regulate liquor licenses. Any coal lands which the state may acquire in the congressional grant shall never be sold, but may be leased. The school fund shall be invested in U.S. bonds bonds of the state or first mortgage securities of the state at not more than half the value of the land, The school fund shall be considered a trust fund, the interest to be used for the school, and in case of loss of any any part of the principal, the state must make it good

It prohibits the passage of special laws. The property of the wife before marriage and what she may acquire during marriage shall be exempt from execution on claims against the busband. It directs the legislature to pass liberal homestead laws; prohibits foreign corporations from transacting business in the state until they appoint an agent in the state who shall be tle, Pa., was arrested yesterday while subject to process by law; provides that no foreigner shall vote until two years after he has declared his intention to become a citizen, and that the reading of the declaration from Chicago Thursday night accompanied of independence with facility shall be conby Rachael Voghan, a pretty eighteen- sidered a test of the qualification of a voter. No act of the legislature shall take effect, within sixty days after adjournment, unless specially provided in the preamble or body of

This constitution will furnish an abundance of material for discussion, and those who have read it predict that it will be adopted with

very few changes. TROUBLE ON THE OHIO.

A Collision Between the Steamboat and

Railroad Men at Steubenville. STEUBENVILLE, O., July 22.-As has been anticipated for the past week, the Pan-Handle railroad company and the Ohio river steamboat men collided this morning. The railroad company recently received permission from the secretary of war to close up the channel of the river at the Steubenville bridge for the purpose of replacing the channel span. The river men It is believed that the other man was also appealed in vain to the secretary of war to | wounded. have the permit revoked. When a coal fleet the channel almost entirely filled with heavy piles arranged in bents. There was a short consultation, and without advising the men at work in the channel of the intention, the coal-boat Advance, with three barges abreast, came at full speed upon the pile bents breaking down twenty-five of them, breaking the pile driver barge loose from its moorings and badly damaging it. The men on the barge had a narrrow escape from being drawn under the tow and the work was immediately sus-

pended. Hardly had they time to recover from their escape when another boat, the Pa cific, came down by the same route and took away thirty-five more of the piles, leaving over half the channel clear for the following boats. Immediately after this the railroad company ordered the construction of large apron piers above the bridge, which will effectually close the channel for boats. Both railroad and steamboat men are equally determined to enforce their rights in the premises, and the outcome will create intense interest along the serious trouble threatened will demand the interference of the government to settle whether the railroad has the right to impede river navigation that its own trains may run uninterruptedly.

It Would be Infamous.

IN. Y. World.1 Judge Woods has prostituted the judicial power now in his hands to protect inciters of bribery and corrupters of the suffrage because Dudiey letter in view, Judge Woods said the law "makes any one guilty who counsels bribery"-that "it is a crime to advise another to make the attempt," In his second charge, made a few weeks later, and after, as he admitted, hearing from Washington, Judge Woods charged that "it results, of course, that the mere sending by one to another of a letter or document containing advice to bribe a voter, or setting forth a scheme of bribery, however bold and reprehensible, is not indictable.' To promote to the supreme court the author of this shameless stultification done to protect the rascals who carried Indiana for Harrison by organized bribery and corruption would be the most infamous use of the appointing power

ever made in this country.

CHICAGO, July 22.-The friends of Dr. Cronin last night determined to hold a picnic at Cheltenham on Aug. 15. This was decided upon at a large meeting of well-known Irish-American citizens at the Grand Pacific hotel. The demonstration will be in opposition to the pienie to be held in Ogden's grove on the same day. The latter affair is under control of a committee composed almost entirely of men whose antagonism to Dr. Cronin and friendship to the "triangle" element are well known.

Knocked Out With a Chair.

EVANSVILLE, July 22 .- [Special.]-August Thiele, a member of a prominent business firm,

Winfrey, a prominent attorney, and called LONDON'S LATEST MURDER, him a liar. Winfrey turned, quick as a flash, and knocked Thiele down with a chair. The parties soon came together, but were separated by officers. They will probably be fined to-

morrow for contempt of court. FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

Two Men Killed and Several Injured at

Washington C. H., O. WASHINGTON C. H., O., July 19 .- A terrible boiler explosion occured here at 5:30 o'clock this evening. A portable saw-mill engine of twenty-four-horse power was pumping out water from wells for the new water-works in process of construction. Suddenly the boiler went to pieces, with a terrible report. The dead and injured are as follows: Dead-FRED W. WORRELL, engineer, torn all to

NATHANIEL TAYLOR of Bloomingburg, badly mangled.

Injured: JOHN TAYLOR, colored, badly hurt, both legs broken.

SAM MCCLEAN, bruised badly. DAN HOPKINS, colored, bruised and scalded CHARLES ROBINSON, bruised slightly. GEORGE ROWE, arm injured badly. JAMES HARPER, side bruised badly.

WILLIAM LEMOTT, Bridgeport, Ill., by-stander, head and ankle, badly. JOHN P. MORTON, contractor for construct tion of water-works, very seriously injured. He was hurled with great force several yards against a tree. He sprang to his feet and helped others till he fell and became unconscious, in which condition he remained at 8 o'clock to-

The boiler was hurled through a forest for 150 yards and the fire-box was sent 100 yards in the other direction. Cause, an over-heated boiler, low water and an inexperienced engineer, Fred Worrell, who lost his life in the

LYNCHED BY COWBOYS. A Man and Woman, Thought to Have

Been Cattle Thieves, Hung. CHEYENNE, W. T., July 22 .- A telegram received to-day announces the lynching at Sweet Water of Jim Averill and a | as when the first of the murdered women was woman who lived with him as his wife. Averill was postmaster at Sweet Water, which consists chiefly of a station contiguous to a number of ranches. Avarill drifted into the Sweet Water country four years ago and at once took up government claims. He was soon joined by a woman, who took up a claim ad- | did his work so swiftly and silently that no joining the town of Cartwell. Both were recog- escape, and will remain unmolested until he nized as hard citizens. The woman was one of the | gets ready to commit another butchery. most daring riders in the country. She rode, man fashion, the most vicious brutes and in roping cattle could take her place with the have rapidly accumulated a herd, as they came to the country without any thing, it is regarded as evidence against them.

average cowboy. For a long time both have been under suspicion as cattle rustlers. They This year they turned loose twenty-five freshly branded yearling calves which completely satisfied the stock men that they were mavericking, which particular act led to the lynching. rom particulars received it is known that a small band of masked men surrounded their cabin last night and using a decoy, succeeded in getting both to the door. They were captured after a desperate struggle, and after being bound, were led some distance away and together strung up to a limb of a tree and their

bodies riddled with bullets. A FIGHT IN THE DARK. An Unknown Man and a Cleveland (O.) Officer Killed. CLEVELAND, O., July 21 .- Two prisoners, W.

A. Smith and Richard N. Mansfield, broke from the county jail last night, going through the slate roof. Deputy Sheriff Joseph Goldsoll went to the western part of the city where one of the men lived, and with a policeman lay in wait for the fellows. About midnight a carriage containing two men passed along the street. The officers called to the occupants of the vehicle to stop, and after some talk one of them fired a revolver at the policeman. He and Goldsoll opened fire in return, a half dozen shots being exchanged. Goldsoll fell at the first volley, shot through the abdomen, and the rig was driven rapidly away. The wounded officer was taken to the hospital, where he now lies in a dying condition, and an hour later the rig driven by the two men was found a mile from the place of the shooting. In the buggy the dead body of one of the men. He had been shot through the body. It was at first thought the dead man was Smith, the younger of the prisoners, but those who knew Smith utterly failed to identify the corpse, and to-night the police are still in the dark. They think, however, that the dead man was up to mischief, for in the buggy were found two revolvers, a club, serew-driver and a piece of rope. The horse, which had been stolen in

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the eastern part of the city, was wounded in the

hip, and the buggy was riddled with bullets.

A Husband Murders His Wife and He Father and Kills Himself. CLEVELAND, O., July 21 .- A special from Byran, Williams county, Ohio, says: Hiram Hoadly, jr., three years ago married Miss S. E. Newman, daughter of a farmer living near Edgerton. Some unpleasantness between him and his wife led to temporary separation, but last September they again began to live together. At the last term of the common pleas court of Williams county Mrs, Hoadly applied for a divorce and alimony, and left her husband, returning to her father's house. This morning Hoadly secreted himself near the premises of Mr. Newman, as his wife was going out to milk the cows. He shots into her breast and left her for dead. Mr. Newman heard the report of the shots and started for the barn, when he met Hoadly, who shot the old man three times, once through the heart. Hoadthen returned to where his wife fell, found her still living, and emptied two more chambers of his revolver-one in her forehead and the other in her mouth-and then shot himself, dying about 11 o'clock. He had three revolvers on his person, and, it is thought, intended to kill the entire Newman

LYNCHED IN A SLAUGHTER-PEN.

A Mob at Warsaw Hangs a Negro Charged

With a Revolting Crime. WARSAW, Ind., July 20 .- Pete Willis, a negro prisoner in the Kosciusko county jail, was lynched yesterday morning. Willis was charged with having assaulted a little girl, and attempts to string him up had been made last week. At 2 o'clock a masked mob overpowered the jailer and dragged the negro to a slaughter-house on the outskirts of the town, where a noose was fixed around his neck and ing as the letters received last spring. The the end of the rope thrown over the snatchblock. Willis was left to strangle and was found dead by the butcher.

HER LOVER WAS A MARRIED MAN. Finding That She Had Been Deceived

Eva Squires Takes Paris Green, BLOOMINGTON, Ill., July 18 .- [Special.]-Eva Squires, a highly respectable young lady of this city, attempted to commit suicide this evening by taking a large quantity of paris green, and her effort will probably prove successful, for, although still alive, she is suffering greatly and the physicians have but little hope of saving her life. For some time past Miss

man, who, it is now claimed, has been married for some time. The discovery of this is said to be the cause of the young lady's rash act to-A Foll-Grown Cyclone. [Richmond Democrat.] What has become of Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co.? The Indiana atmosphere is not so full of

Squires has been receiving the attentions of a

POLICE HOPELESSLY IN THE DARK.

As Little Prospect of Catching the Fiend as When the First of the Butchered

Women Was Found Bleeding in

the Street-Many Arrests.

LONDON, July 17 .- The woman whose body was found in Castle alley in the White Chapel district last night was a middle aged prostitute. Her throat had been cut to the spine. When the body was found it was lying on its back. The clothing had been thrown up, exposing the abdomen, which had been gashed in a horrible manner in several places, though the intestines were not exposed. No part of the body was missing. Warm blood was flowing from the wounds when the body was discovered. A. policeman who, with the watchman of an adjacent warehouse, must have been within a few

when it was committed, heard no noise. Policemen have been placed at fixed points in White Chapel since the murders of this character there, and since the murder preceding that of last night officers have been stationed at a point within a hundred yards of the scene of the latest tragedy. An old clay pipe smeared with blood was found alongside the body. It is supposed by the police that this will furnish a lew to the murderer, although it may have beonged to the victim. Several arrests of sus pected persons have been made, but they were lischarged from custody, there being no proof

yards of the spot where the murder took place

on which to hold them. It is stated that a letter was received by the police officials before last night's murder, signed "Jack the Ripper," in which the writer

said that he was "about to resume his work." LONDON, July 18 .- After holding the inquest last night on the body of the latest victim of the White Chapel fiend, the police appear to se as hopelessly in the dark as ever, and to have as little prospect of catching the criminal found bleeding in the street. This time the woman's body was scarcely cold when she was discovered. The warm blood was flowing from the gashes in her body. A policeman was stalking about within fifty yards of the spot. Lights were moving in the windows of the adjacent tenement-houses, but the murderer one heard the victim's cry. He was allowed to

tactics have been practically the same as flooded the White Chapel district with police who, acting under special orders, kept the newspapers in the dark as much as possible. As in the case of the previous murders, suspected men have been dragge into police stations all day long, simply because they wore rags or had no home, and were im mediately let go again. Some of them were so ignorant that they did not even know there had seen a murder. One effect of this policy is to fan into fierce flame the public excitement. Of false news of arrests, of wild rumors, and of sensational theories there are no end; of use ful facts which may lead to a clew to catch the

murderer there are but very few. In the matter of details this murder differs very little from the others. It is true that there are no such revolting mutilations, but everything goes to show that this is simply because the assassin had been interrupted in his work, being frightened by a drunken peddler, who had stopped to wrangle with the policeman on

A correspondent saw the body of the victim to-day in the mortuary. The throat was cut in the same manner as in the case of the Berner-st. woman, by plunging a knife just under the left ear and cutting toward athe right ear sufficiently to completely sever the windpipe. The woman probably never had time to utter a cry. The only other wound on the body was a deep cut in the stomach, extending from the

waist to the pit of the abdomen. The intestines were not disturbed. Not till to-night were the police able to find out who the woman was. Her name was Alice McKenzie, and, as in the case of Jack the Ripper's other victims, she was one of those unfor funate creatures who find their living on the streets. The correspondent talked to two women who saw her at 11:30 o'clock the night of the murder. She was sober then. At 12:30 o'clock, when all the public houses were closedby law, the barkeeper of a "pub" situated a quarter of a mile from the scene of the murder says that he turned her into the streets be cause she had been drinking some, but was not actually drunk. Making her way home, the woman turned into Commercial-st.-the exact region where most of the other murders had

been committed. Here all traces of her was lost till the body was found in Castle alley at 1:25 yesterday morning. Four policemen pairol the vicinity of Castle alley, It is considered one of the worst places in London. The officer whose special duty it is to watch the alley swears that he passed the spot ten minutes before he found the body, but there was nothing there then. There are four entrances to Castle ailey. It is about twenty-five feet wide and 400 long. At night customers living near are allowed to store their wagons and hand-carts there. Two tenement houses, a watchman in it and a pubslic bath house surround it. It is almost impossible that any struggle should have occured without somebody hearing it. Only a few yards away is a street as broad as the Bowery and thronged with people going from the 'pubs" and concert halls - just as busy a thoroughfare, in fact, as the Bowery is at midnight. An ex-member of the metropol itan police, who was standing talking with a friend at the corner of Castle alley, not more than forty yards distant, about the time of the murder, neither saw nor heard any thing. Mrs. Smith, who keeps the public bath house, says she did not go to bed till after 1 o'clock. She was moving about the kitcher seized her with his left hand and fired three | with the windows facing on the alley wide open, and heard no noise till the officer gave the alarm. She does not think that the body was quite dead when it was found.

Isaac Lewis, who claims to be the first civilian who saw the body after the murder, watched i while the policeman went for assistance. H says that the blood was still spurting from the throat when the woman was found, indicating that the heart had not ceased to beat, clothes were all crushed upon the chest of the body and the legs were nude. There were blood marks on the face and on the left thigh, as if a hand covered with blood had been placed there to hold the woman down. Lewis adds that a watchman had been employed at Castle alley till two weeks ago to look after the wheelbarrows. When the barrows were removed the man was discharged. He thinks that the mur-

derer knew this. Some fifty constables selected from other districts of the metropolis last spring for special duty in White Chapel were removed this week, Three weeks ago the police recived several letters saying that Jack the Ripper was going to begin operations again. No attention was paid to them. They were signed "Jack the Ripper," and indited in the same disguised writnight ago a man called at its office and said ha knew the east-end well, and that he was sure that the butcheries there would soon begin

HIPPOLYTE REPULSED,

He is Driven Back From Port-an-Prince

With Loss. NEW YORK, July 22.-The captain of the Atlas line steamship Alene brings the news that on July 11 Hippolyte attempted to take Port-an-Prince. On the 13th inst. he also made several assaults, but was repulsed each time with loss. Subsequently he retreated to Croix Des Bouquets, a point about nine miles from Port-au-Prince, where he is now encamped.

White Caps in Rendricks.

PITTSEORO, July 22 .- | Special.]-Last night Ed Loftus received a severe lashing from the hands of a regulating committee acting under the name of "White Caps." Loftus had been warned to leave the county, but failing to obey his tenacity was rewarded by about fifty lashes.
The regulators used buggy whips and lacerated
the body and limbs of the fellow in a terrible